

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PGOV, PINT, TH

SUBJECT: OCTOBER 6 DETAINEES

REF: BANGKOK 13585

THE THAI GOVERNMENT HAS DECIDED NOT RPT. NOT TO PROSECUTE 36 PERSONS ARRESTED FOR INVOLVEMENT IN THE OCT. 6, 1976 INCIDENT AT THAMMASAT UNIVERSITY. ON JUNE 23 PRATHUANG KIRATIBUT, DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF THE PUBLIC PROSECUTION DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCED THAT ALL CHARGES MADE BY THE POLICE AGAINST THESE 36 PERSONS WILL BE DROPPED BECAUSE OF INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE. HE SAID THAT THE DECISION WAS FINAL. THE 36, MANY OF WHOM ARE UNIVERSITY STUDENTS, HAVE BEEN OUT ON BAIL SINCE THE PROSECUTION DEPT. FIRST DECIDED SEVERAL WEEKS AGO THAT THERE WAS INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE TO PROSECUTE THEM.  
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